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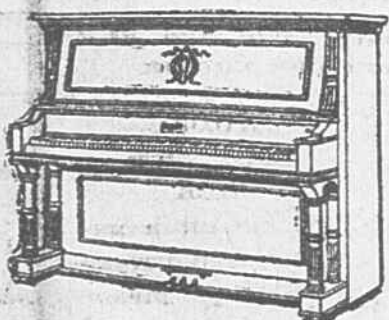
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Experiences of Pilgrim in the Slough of Despond As He Climbs the Mountains.

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SEVEN DEVILS MOUNTAIN, Idaho, No Date—Man hath scarcely anywhere to lay his head. This ran dolefully through my brain last night, while I broke pine boughs to lay me down a bed on dry pebbles. All adventures of life continued to pass through my mind, even while I slept. My teeth, I lost the day before, were by vision carried to the hills in the mouth of a coyote, which disturbs my slumbers by its distressed howls.

Now that I saw August 23 and have seen every day since, loomed up in my mind as one of the facts possible that West Virginians would doubt, and yet greater mysteries of nature lay on either side of my humble bed. Rock towered hundreds of feet up into the air, while just a little below the sound of the rippling river told me that it once had its level with the topmost rock, but by the wear through time it has cut its way down to its present channel, which teaches us that this earth is nothing but sinking sand. Yet I look on either side and in musical tones as of yore, I realize the true feeling of the poet, when he says: "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me, Let Me Hide Myself in Thee."

I look again to see by chance growing from out the cleft, where no mortal man can molest, a few evergreen pine, representing life in all its beauties, just as the Christian planted among thorns represents his God.

Below me 1,500 feet a fountain of water bursts forth from the moun-

tain side, warmed by minerals that nature has placed in its course for purposes beneficial to man. I climb to the topmost peak and gaze at the distant blue streak that surrounds me, and cast my eye upward to behold the same blue. This causes me to wonder whether I am now buried in mountains or not.

Still adventures come. Freight agents say \$3 per hundred from Chicago into the mountains. At first thought one can not help saying, "high as h—," but when we stop to figure horse feed into these mountains from Chicago, it's God, bless the railroads; their officers must live.

Now in camp to find the good "Missourian" busy preparing a meal, while we chat and work the durn old stove that sits on legs upsets to spill the staff of life—potatoes and coffee—on a well swept floor. I could not laugh, but simply say: "Don't swear, old man, this will not remove the dirt, but another batch of grub we will prepare and hope that the crosses of life will pass by and by."

Once in a long time a friend gives me a letter. It comes like the judgment day to us all must come, just as the unborn babe waits his time and number. Just so we toil and labor to step into the midst of wealth or death. I walk over millions of dollars worth of precious metals every day, money for every one who seeks, but my body is frail and my power too light to impress these facts upon people who can, but I am knocking at the door.

Don't forget the little shop around the corner on Second street.

IN THE LITERARY WORLD

Notes of New Books, Authors And the Current Magazines

Everybody's for November opens with a striking article by William Ward, on "Making Steel and Killing Men," which deals fairly with the problem of the safety of workers in the dangerous trade of steel-making. "The Newest Land of Promise," by G. W. Ogden, describes graphically the opening up and cultivation of the West, and the opportunities for wealth offered to the home-seeker. Dr. William Hanna Thomson, in "Plain Labels on Germ Enemies," gives interesting and valuable information on the difference between contagious and infectious diseases. "The Ladies' Game," by Gertrude Lynch, discusses the question as to whether or not the American woman is extravagant in dress, and is of interest not only to all women, but to every man who ever paid a dressmaker's bill. It is illustrated with charming photographs from life.

The leading article in the November Metropolitan Magazine and the most important contribution the color problem has yet called forth is "The Negro and the South," by John Sharp Williams, the leader of the minority in the House of Representatives and a future United States Senator from Mississippi. It has long been recognized that a Southerner's knowledge presented fairly in what the country has long been awaiting. Mr. Williams at last supplies this demand. There are no unthinking denunciations of the negro. He is treated fairly, and best of all, solutions of his future are suggested. Other important articles in this number are "Our Riches of the Far North," by Jay Monroe Latimer, a careful, economical study of Alaska, and "General Grant's Close Call," by Harry M. Hill.

The November American Magazine is rich in importance and interest. Ida M. Tarbell tells another "He Knew Lincoln" story. Lincoln Steffens begins a new serial, "The Mote and the Beam; a Fact Novel." Prof. William James, the foremost psychologist of his time, writes of "The Powers of Men." He tells of the keys which unlock hidden energies and stir men to great achievements—such keys as love, anger, war, duty, the temperance "pledge," despair, crowd-contagion, Christian Science, conversion, prayer, and so on. Woods Hutchinson begins his new series on giants and dwarfs. The pictures are as good as going to a circus. Ernest Poole tells stories of the million new readers of the news who come to this

country from abroad each year.

In their November issue the editors of McClure's have more than justified the recent raise in the price of the magazine. The articles are varied and vital, and there is a new note of distinction in the fiction. George Kennan's article on criminal government should arouse the public conscience. It tells of conditions which every citizen of this democracy should know—how a gang of criminals in municipal control fostered vice as a money-making scheme, debauching the social and business life of a great city, beginning with prominent and respectable citizens, from whom bribes were exacted, and ending with the street children who dropped a penny in the slot and saw indescribable, vicious pictures licensed by the "robber government."

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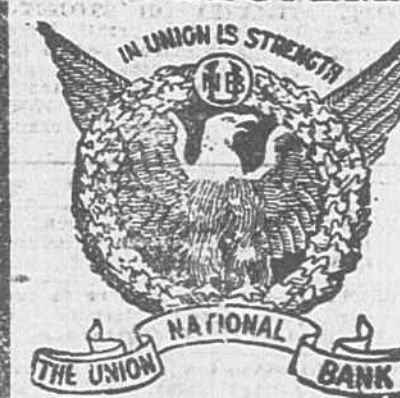
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